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Text Talk Questions

Use these questions to facilitate the conversation about the poetry and support students to share ideas.

- » Using the poem you read, identify a thought that was shared in the poetry by an immigrant who was detained at the Immigration Station.
- » Cite an example from the poem that shows this understanding.
 - Does another person have a poem that shares this same idea? Tell us more about your poem....
 - Can anyone compare the message of the poem you read with your Learning Partner and the poem we began our lesson with? How are they the same? Different?
- » Would someone share about how their poem is organized or constructed? What do you notice about it?
- » Summarize your poem.
- » Connect your poem to the themes we used with the timeline; politics, environment, society, culture, economy.
- » Interpret what your poet is trying to say.